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DCR Recreational Advisory: DCR's Charles River Esplanade

WHAT: On Saturday, September 17, 2016, the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) will implement access restrictions at DCR's Hatch Memorial Shell and abutting parkland along the Charles River Esplanade in the City of Boston to accommodate the annual MixFEST event. DCR Rangers will be on hand to assist visitors, and public access will be accommodated during the day of the event after passing through security entrances located at Clarendon Street and adjacent to Community Boating.

WHERE: DCR's Charles River Esplanade in the City of Boston

WHEN: No access on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at the Esplanade area between Clarendon Street to DCR's Hatch Memorial Shell and Union Boathouse from 9:30AM to 10:30AM

Public access through the Esplanade on Saturday, September 17, 2016 can be gained once individuals have cleared through security entrances from 10:30AM to 6:00PM.

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The Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), an agency of the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, oversees 450,000 acres of parks and forests, beaches, bike trails, watersheds, dams, and parkways. Led by Commissioner Leo Roy, the agency's mission is to protect, promote, and enhance our common wealth of natural, cultural, and recreational resources. To learn more about DCR, our facilities, and our programs, please visit www.mass.gov/dcr. Contact us at mass.parks@state.ma.us.

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